

**FESTIVAL PRIZES**

The church has purchased these prizes, please consider donating towards the cost of the prizes for our summer festival:

1. 50"4K TV - \$600.00
2. \$500 Walmart gift card
3. \$400 Walmart gift card
4. PS 4 - \$400.00
5. "X" box - \$400.00
6. \$300 Academy gift card
7. Wii U - \$300.00
8. \$300 Walmart gift card
9. \$200 HEB gift card
10. Electronic tablet - \$200.00-donated

**Ticket books will be available for pick up after all Masses.**



The Stuebenville West Youth would like to thank everyone that contributed towards and participated in the Jump-a-thon! The Knights of Columbus continue to sell tickets for \$1.00 for the Recliner. Proceeds go towards the trip.

**PASTORAL COUNCIL ELECTIONS**

Elections for the new council members will be next weekend Saturday, May 16 and Sunday, May 17.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

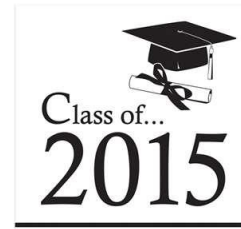


**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL  
MONDAY THRU THURSDAY, JUNE 8-11,  
2015**

Registrations will start Saturday, May 23 and Sunday, May 24 after all Masses. Forms will also be available in the office.

**HOUSEHOLD PRAYER FOR MOTHERS**

Loving God,  
As a mother gives life and nourishment to her children,  
So you watch over your Church.  
Bless our mother.  
Let the example of her faith and love shine forth.  
Grant that we, her family,  
May honor her always  
With a spirit of profound respect.  
Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.  
*(Catholic Household Blessings and Prayers)*



**GRADUATION MASS**

Mass for those graduating this year will be held at 5:00 PM on May 16, 2015. Reception to follow in Our Lady of Guadalupe family center. Please congratulate our Seniors for all their hard work.

**DIOCESAN MARRIAGE JUBILEE**

It is time for couples to register to attend the Diocesan Marriage Jubilee Day 2015, on May 17, 2015, at 3 PM at the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart in San Angelo.

Couples celebrating their 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, and above wedding anniversaries are invited. Family and friends of the jubilarians are also encouraged to attend. The Mass will include a renewal of vows and a reception will follow the Mass.

If you wish to attend, please obtain a copy of your sacramental marriage certificate or a letter from your pastor verifying your sacramental marriage. Each parish will be submitting this verification along with a registration form. Please call the office for registration, 714-4930.

**RURAL LIFE MASS**

This year's Seed and Soil Rural Life Mass will be at 6:00 p.m., Thursday, May 14, 2015, at St. Boniface Church in Olfen. Bishop Michael J. Sis will be the main celebrant of the Mass and Fr. Ariel Lagunilla of Olfen will assist. All priests in the diocese are welcome to concelebrate. Those who attend the Mass are invited to bring baskets of grain, fresh produce, cotton, home canned fruit, vegetables, etc., for blessing. For more information, contact Deacon Charlie Evans, Director of Rural Life for the Diocese of San Angelo, at [cevans@sanangelodiocese.org](mailto:cevans@sanangelodiocese.org), or 325-357-4520.

**Pro-life Hotline...1-800-395-HELP**



**May 10** - How easily we can rationalize something: "If a woman plans to terminate her pregnancy, she commonly refers to the life within her as the 'fetus'. But if she intends to deliver and love and care for the little child, she affectionately calls him 'my baby'." Lord, please bring an end to the culture of death.—Dr. James C. Dobson.

¿Cómo fácilmente nos podemos racionalizar algo: "Si una mujer planea terminar su embarazo, comúnmente se refiere a la vida dentro de ella como el 'feto'. Pero si va a entregar y amar y cuidar a la niña, ella cariñosamente lo llama "mi bebé". Señor, por favor, poner fin a la cultura de la muerte. —Dr. James C. Dobson

**Ultreya**- Todos los lunes, 7:00 PM en el salón de Holy Trinity Parish Hall.

**Prayer Meeting – English –**  
All are welcome on Wednesdays at 7 PM in East Room to join us for praise, teaching, and prayer for healing.

**Prayer Meeting – Spanish**  
–Todos los miércoles, 7:30 PM después de la Misa, en la capilla.

## Catholic Inquiry Class

Do you know someone who is always asking you Why Do Catholics Genuflect, Worship Idols, And Mary?? Have a friend or loved one who is thinking about joining the Catholic Church, or are you a baptized Catholic adult in need of Reconciliation (Confession), First Communion, and Confirmation? Come join us on Monday at 6:30-8:00 PM in the East Room.

May 11- 10 Commandments  
May 18-Last Class-snacks and fellowship  
Check bulletin for starting date in the fall.

### SEMINARIAN OF THE MONTH REGGIE ODIMA



Reggie is in his 2nd Year Theology at Assumption Seminary. His birthday is September 6, 1989 and is from Irving, TX. His favorite food is all kinds. Freddy likes to play all sports!

Please Pray for Our Seminarians!

### SEARCH FOR CHRISTIAN MATURITY

Teenagers, 16yrs old/Sophomores in high school, to attend a weekend of becoming closer to Our Lord, consider signing up for Search. Call Merlinda Morón, 432-213-3456 or the office, 714-4930, for an application. Please pray daily for SEARCH: new searchers who will be attending, the staff, sponsors, and SEARCH team.

### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Fridays starting after the 7:00 AM Mass till Noon in the side Chapel.

**Pro-Life Rosary** from 12 to 12:15 PM  
**Benediction** - after the Rosary.

### CHURCH FLOWERS

Donations for Church flowers are being accepted at this time. Envelopes are available at the front of the church. Please place donation into collection basket or bring by the parish office.

### Catholic Christian Education (CCE)

If you have any questions please give us a call at 432-714-4930.

Grades	Place	Time	CRE
K,1,2,3,4,5	H.T. Hall	9:40 am – 10:50 am-Sundays	Richard Light
6, 7, 8, 9,10,11, 12	H.T. Family Center	6:40 pm - 8:00 pm Wednesday	Dianna Valdez

#### Starting Times:

**Elementary** Last day of CCE is Sunday, May 10<sup>th</sup>. Have a great summer!

**Jr. Hi/High school** Last day of CCE is Wednesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>. Have a great summer!

#### Requirements for Baptizing:

To baptize infants we require Parents to provide the child's court issued Birth Certificate. Parents must be registered in the Church. Godparents must provide a copy of their Baptismal, First Communion, and Confirmation Certificates. Married Godparents will also need to provide their certificate of marriage in the Catholic Church. For more information, please call the Parish Office, 714-4930.

Bautismo de niños/as los papás necesitan presentar el certificado de nacimiento de la corte del niño(a). Los padres deben estar registrados en la iglesia. Los padrinos necesitan presentar sus certificados de Bautismo, Primera Comunión y Confirmación. Los padrinos casados deben de presentar su certificado de matrimonio en la iglesia católica. Para más información por favor llame a la oficina parroquial, 714-4930.

#### MARRIAGE

Please call the office at least six months prior to planning wedding.

#### SICK VISITATION

Please call the office to give us the names of the people who would like to receive Holy Communion or have a visit from the priest.

#### QUINCEAÑERA

Two years of religious education is required. Please call the office for more information.

**SUNDAY MASS ATTENDANCE**  
05/03/15

Mass	Attendance	Communion
5:00 PM	176	124
8:30 AM	152	92
11:00 AM	349	191
<b>Total</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>407</b>

**St. Vincent de Paul**  
**270-5029**

**MSGR. GULLY'S SCHEDULE**

**Tuesday, May 12, 2015** – Deanery Meeting at Our Lady of Guadalupe, Midland  
**Thursday, May 14, 2015** – Day of Rest



The Holy Spirit will put the wind back into your sails if you ask him to. For, as St. Paul says, "The Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with sighs too deep for words" (Romans 8:26).

**HALL RENTAL**

The new policy on the hall rental was approved on January 26, 2015 by the parish council and Msgr. Gully. Rental fees are as follows:

Classroom	\$170
School Hall	\$270
OLG Family Center	\$420
Included in rental fee is \$120 insurance fee, which needs to be sent to the diocese 20 days before the event. A deposit of \$50 is required at the time of reservation.	



**Sunday Collection**  
05/03/2015

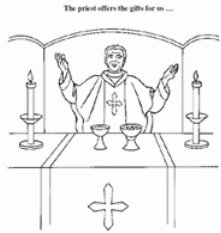
Envelope	\$7,762.00
Loose	2,336.73
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$10,098.73</b>

Average Collections per week needed: \$9,335.00

**Nepal Collection \$1,261.15**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**

"Stewardship is planned giving and does not leave giving to chance. It challenges us to plan. It asks us to appraise – deliberately – what we are doing with our time, our talent and our treasure."



**UNDERSTANDING THE MASS**

**Liturgy of the Word:** Finally, we along with the priest, make the sign of the cross. We do this, not in the way we did at the beginning of the Mass, but by tracing it with our thumbs, once on the forehead, once on the lips, and once on the chest as a sign of God's presence within us-in our minds, on our lips, and in our hearts. At the end of the Gospel, the deacon or priest kisses the Book of the Gospels as yet another sign of reverence and recognition of Christ's presence.

Father Michael G. Witczak  
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**COMPRENDER LA MISA**  
**Liturgia de la palabra:**

Finalmente, junto con el sacerdote, hacemos la señal de la Cruz. Hacemos esto, no de la manera que lo hicimos al comienzo de la misa, pero por rastro con nuestros pulgares, una en la frente, una vez en los labios y una vez en el pecho como un signo de la presencia de Dios dentro de nosotros en nuestras mentes, en nuestros labios y en nuestros corazones. Al final del Evangelio, el diácono o el sacerdote besa el libro de los evangelios como otra señal de reverencia y reconocimiento de la presencia de Cristo.

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**PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED AND THE FAMILIES OF THE DECEASED:**

We extend our sincere sympathy to the family of the late **Tom Hines** who died this past week. We commend their souls and the intentions of the family to our continuing prayers.

**PRAYER FOR THE SICK**

Javier Hinojos, Joshua & Yvette Preston, Chila Cerrato, José Gonzales, Grace Chávez, Esperanza Mendoza, Agustín Gaitán Sr., Ignacio Escañuelas Sr., Briana Mendoza. Call the office at 714-4930 to add the names in the bulletin. **Only the person needing or immediate family member may request to be added to the prayer list.**

**CURSILLO WEEKEND**

El Cursillo en español para mujeres sera **del 14 al 17 de Mayo**. En la Parroquia de San Miguel en Midland, Texas.

Para más información llamen a la oficina. Aplicaciones en la oficina.

The Spanish Cursillo for women will be from **May 14<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup>**. At San Miguel Parish in Midland, Texas. For more information call the office. Applications in the office.

**DATE CHANGED/FECHA NUEVA**

Holy Trinity will be hosting the Men's Spanish Cursillo the weekend of **August 20-23, 2015, applicants are being accepted.**

If you would like more information please call the office 714-4930.

Santísima Trinidad celebrará el Cursillo de hombres en español el fin de semana de **20-23 de agosto, candidatos para el Cursillo todavía estan aceptados.** Para más información por favor llame a la oficina 714-4930





"I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and your joy might be complete. This is my commandment: love one another as I love you."

John 15:11-12

**Readings for the Week of  
May 10, 2015**

**Sunday Sixth Sunday of  
Easter** Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48; Ps 98; 1 Jn 4:7-10; Jn 15:9-17

**Monday** Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149; Jn 15:26—16:4a

**Tuesday Saints Nereus and  
Achilleus, Martyrs; Saint  
Pancras, Martyr** Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138; Jn 16:5-11

**Wednesday Our Lady of Fatima**  
Acts 17:15, 22—18:1; Ps 148; Jn 16:12-15

**Thursday The Ascension of  
the Lord** Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47; Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13; Mk 16:15-20

**Friday Saint Isidore** Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47; Jn 16:20-23

**Saturday** Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47; Jn 16:23b-28

**Sunday Seventh Sunday of  
Easter** Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26; Ps 103; 1 Jn 4:11-16; Jn 17:11b-19



**SANCTUARY CANDLE**

[HT] May 10 – Elaine Martinez  
[St. Joseph] May 10 – Adrian Carrillo



**SATURDAY, May 9, 2015**

- 5:00 PM – [HT] +Howard Stevens by Karen Stevens; +Jeannie Flores by Luz Martinez; +Alex Escañuelas Sr. by Yolanda Escañuelas; +Moises Flores Jr. by Terry & Freddy Martinez; +Pedro & +Jovita Correa by Maria Florez & Family; In Thanksgiving by Janie Porras; In Thanksgiving by Demetria Reyna; +Teresa Rocha by Margie Valverde; +Alex, +Santos, +Sabas Torres by Juana Torres

**SUNDAY, May 10, 2015**

- 8:30 AM – [HT] +Freddy Molina by Consuelo Morales
- 11:00 AM – [HT] For The People; +Carlota Rodriguez by Gilbert & Martha Rubio; +Manuela Gutierrez by Gilbert & Martha Rubio; +Martina Molina by Gilbert & Martha Rubio; +Maria Gonzales by Gilbert & Martha Rubio; +Pedro & +Manuela Baltazar by M/M Steve Escañuelas; +Lupe Ramirez by Olga Sanchez; +Mary & +Eusebia Martinez by Tony Martinez; +Eva Dominguez by Daughters; Maria Dominguez & +Elvira A. Olivas by John & Irene Dominguez

**MONDAY, May 11, 2015**

- 7:00 AM-[Chapel] +Eddie DeLeon Sr. by Concha DeLeon
- 1:30 PM-[State] Infant Jesus (T.G.) by Cecilia & Mark T.

**TUESDAY, May 12, 2015**

- 7:00 AM [Chapel] NO MASS

**WEDNESDAY, May 13, 2015**

- 7:00 PM-[Chapel] +Conception Anderson by Wanda Anderson

**THURSDAY, May 14, 2015**

- NO MASS

**FRIDAY, May 15, 2015**

- 7:00 AM – [HT] +P.O. Rios Jr. & +Patrick Rios by Cecilia Treviño

**SATURDAY, May 16, 2015**

- 5:00 PM – [HT] For The People; +Evelyn Flores by Terry & Freddy Martinez; +Virginia Diaz by Mary Ann Leal; In Thanksgiving by Demetria Reyna; +Alex, +Santos, +Sabas Torres by Juana Torres; +Mario Mier by Elsa Hilario; +Lalo Rodriguez by Gloria Rodriguez; +Simon Correa Jr. by M/M Zane Eoff; Blessed Mother Arthur & Cruz Olague; Alicia Martinez by Salazar Family

**ASCENSION SUNDAY, May 17, 2015**

- 8:30 AM – [HT] +Valentin Corralez by Margie Corralez
- 11:00 AM – [HT] Manuel & +Matthew Hernandez by Olga Sanchez; Sydney & Stewart Beall Wedding by Luven & Elice Flores; San Ramon-S.I. by Garcia Family; +Victoria Escovedo by Mary Ann Escovedo; +Jose Maria & +Luisa Ruiz by Ruiz Family; +Valentin Corralez by Margie Corralez; +Lisa P. Cruz by Diane Ewing; +Anthony & +Diane Herrera by Diane Ewing; +Pedro & +Manuela Baltazar by M/M Steve Escañuelas



**Sunday's Reflections**

1 John 3:18-24

**SIMPLE LAWS**

There are a lot of laws. Our national constitution is long. Every state, county and municipality has additional rules and regulations. Sometimes you don't know what a law is until you break it. Laws are important. They are necessary. But they are so numerous that it's hard to keep track of them all.

Our church is the same way. Our laws are important to us, but they are numerous. And they change. It is hard to keep up with them. Couldn't it be simpler somehow?

The First Letter of John says God basically has just two laws. "His commandment is this: we should believe in the name of his Son, Jesus Christ, and love one another just as he commanded us."

There, that was simple. Or was it?

To believe in the name of Jesus means that we order our lives around this belief: He is the Son of God, the one who came to save the world. His teaching, ministry and example should shape everything we do. And love one another? Well, that's easy when it comes to people we like. But it's not so easy with people we'd rather ignore, or people who have become our criminal enemies. Loving one another is not so simple.

Whether the laws are many or few, they are hard to keep. But those who keep God's commandments "remain in him, and he in them."

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